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INTERROGATORIES OF ADVO, INC. TO UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE WITNESS THOMAS W. HARAHUSH (ADVO/USPS-ST49-1)

Pursuant to sections 25 and 26 of the Rules of Practice, Advo, Inc. (Advo) directs the following interrogatories to United States Postal Service witness Thomas W. Harahush. If the witness is unable to respond to any interrogatory, we request that a response be provided by appropriate USPS witness capable of providing an answer.

Respectfully submitted,

John M. Burzio

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have on this date served the foregoing document upon all participants of record in this proceeding in accordance with section 12 of the Rules of Practice.

Thomas W. McLaughlin

November 14, 1997

ADVO, INC. INTERROGATORIES TO USPS WITNESS HARAHUSH (USPS-ST-49)

ADVO/USPS-ST49-1. Please confirm the following. If you cannot, please explain fully what the values used in the base year workpapers do represent.

- (a) The number of actual stops, possible stops, and pieces by shape and delivery characteristic (accountability, collections), route type and stop type generated from the City Carrier System and used in the USPS base year workpapers (USPS-T-5, WP B-7) are total FY96 values for the USPS system.
- (b) The Rural Carrier System number of pieces by the various characteristics and subclasses identified and used as distribution keys in the USPS base year workpapers (USPS-T-5, WP B-10) are total FY96 values for the USPS system.